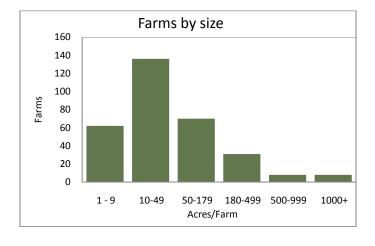
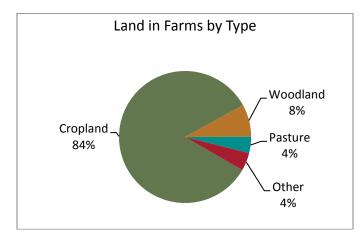


Pennsylvania Senate District 18

	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farm Operators	534	424	+ 26
Number of Farms	315	269	+ 17
Land in Farms	40,892 acres	43,223 acres	- 5
Average Size of Farm	130 acres	161 acres	- 19
Irrigated Land	160 acres	193 acres	- 17
Market Value of Products Sold	\$18,096,000	\$12,735,000	+ 42
Average Per Farm Reporting Sales	\$57,447	\$47,341	+ 21
Gross Income, Farm Related Sources	\$990,000	\$343,000	+ 189
Government Payments	\$490,000	\$740,000	- 34
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$6,904	\$11,934	- 42







State Legislative Profile

Pennsylvania, Senate District 18

Ranked items among the 50 senate districts in the state, 2007

Item	Quantity	State rank	Universe 1
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)			
Total value of agricultural products sold Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse Value of livestock, poultry and their products	18,096 13,335 4,761	33 29 33	46 46 45
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)			
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas Tobacco Cotton and cottonseed Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	8,844 - - 369	18 - - 36	44 17 - 44
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops Other crops and hay	633 1,616 226 1,648	31 36 20 26	43 45 41 41
Poultry and eggs Cattle and calves Milk and other dairy products from cows Hogs and pigs Sheep, goats, and their products Horses, ponies, mules, burros and donkeys Aquaculture Other animals and other animal products	56 945 2,917 49 19 426 (D)	33 30 31 32 32 23 25 31	43 45 40 42 43 40 33 43
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)			
Corn for grain Soybeans for beans Forage - land used for all hay, haylage, grass silage, and green chop Wheat for grain, all Corn for silage or greenchop	13,842 7,602 6,954 1,748 758	19 18 33 21 31	42 39 45 40 39
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)			
Cattle and calves Layers Horses and ponies Broilers and other meat-type chickens Deer	3,393 1,234 563 506 405	32 34 35 30 17	45 43 46 37 34

Other Senate District Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales	
Less than \$1,000	95
\$1,000 to \$2,499	42
\$2,500 to \$4,999	23
\$5,000 to \$9,999	28
\$10,000 to \$19,999	38
\$20,000 to \$24,999	6
\$25,000 to \$39,999	18
\$40,000 to \$49,999	9
\$50,000 to \$99,999	14
\$100,000 to \$249,999	19
\$250,000 to \$499,999	15
\$500,000 or more	8
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	15,644
Average per farm (\$)	49,663
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	3,932
Average per farm (\$)	12,483

Operator characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation: Farming Other	139 176
Principal operators by sex: Male Female	276 39
Average age of principal operator (years)	58
All operators by race ² : American Indian or Alaskan Native Asian Black or African American Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander White More than one race	4 2 - 1 502
All operators of Spanish, Hispanic or Latino Origin ²	8

(D) Cannot be disclosed.
Universe is number of senate districts in state with item.

² Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.